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For: ROBOT SYSTEM AND MACHINING METHOD WITH ROBOT SYSTEM

LETTER TO THE EXAMINER REQUESTING APPROVAL OF THE CHANGES TO THE DRAWINGS

drawing changes approved

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner having jurisdiction over the subject application approve the amendments to the drawings as indicated in RED on the attached copy of Figure § 3.

Respectfully submitted,

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S&H Form: PTO/SB/17 (10/00) Attorney Docket No. 392.1627 09/265,432 Application Number REPLY/AMENDMENT March 10, 1999 Filing Date FEE TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor Akihiro TERADA et al. Group Art Unit 3661 AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$390.00 Examiner Name T. Nguyen FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/00) Highest Number Number Claims Remaining **CLAIMS AS** After Amendment Extra Previously Paid For Rate Calculations **AMENDED** (3) (1) (2) **TOTAL CLAIMS** 0.00 16 20 0 X \$18.00 = 6 (5) INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (4) (6) 0 0.00 6 = X \$80.00 = Since an Official Action set an original due date of February 28, 2001, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$390); 3 months (\$890); 4 months (\$1,390); 5 months (\$1,890)): 390.00 If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$310) If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110) 390.00 Total of above Calculations = \$ Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) \$ TOTAL FEES DUE = 390.00 If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".
 If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". RECEIVED (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3". APR 1 n 2001 METHOD OF PAYMENT [X] Check enclosed as payment. TO 3600 MAIL ROOM Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No., below. **AUTHORIZATION** [X] If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 necessary to maintain pendency of the present application to: 19-3935 Deposit Account No. STAAS & HALSEY LLP Deposit Account Name SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP Patrick J. Stanzione Reg. No. Typed Name April 5, 2001 Date Signature 2001 Staas & Halsey LLP